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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
HARALD KELLER, ET AL. : EXAMINER: SCHIRO, RYAN  
RAYMOND  
SERIAL NO: 10/544,780 :  
FILED: AUGUST 8, 2005 : GROUP ART UNIT: 1792  
FOR: METHOD FOR HYDROPHOBING :  
TEXTILE MATERIALS

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §41.33(a)<sup>1</sup> AND §1.116(b)(2)<sup>2</sup>

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated April 20, 2009, and a discussion with Examiner Schiro on November 5, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.

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<sup>1</sup> Concerning amendments after the filing of a Notice of Appeal but before the filing of an Appeal Brief.

<sup>2</sup> Concerning amendments presenting rejected claims in better form for consideration on appeal.